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1. Annex 1 lists westbound Russian military rail freight traffic through the East German border crossing point of Frankfurt/Oder between 1 and 28 February 1953. Westbound traffic was usually attached to regularly scheduled trains.
2. Annex 2 gives eastbound Russian military rail freight traffic through Frankfurt/Oder for the period from 12 to 28 February 1953. Westbound traffic was in complete trainloads, 120 axles in length.

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<u>Date</u>	<u>1.) Westbound: Destination</u>	<u>No. & Type of Cars</u>	<u>Cargo</u>
1 February	Wuensdorf Nayen Bernau Mockrehna Fuerstowalde Fuerstowalde	2 box cars 10 box cars 7 box cars 4 box cars 1 box car 2 box cars	Ammunition Ammunition
2 February	Bernau Muellrose	1 box car 5 box cars	
3 February	Finow Muellrose	10 flat cars 5 box cars	Tanks
4 February	Altengrabow Finow Ziesar	32 box cars 15 flat cars 9 flat cars	Ammunition Tanks Tanks
5 February	Hohenstein Kummersdorf Bernburg Ziesar	9 flat cars 3 flat cars 2 flat cars 1 flat car	Tanks Tanks Tanks Tanks
6 February	Mockrehna Volton Altengrabow	14 box cars 1 tank car 3 box cars	Ammunition Ammunition

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Destination</u>	<u>No. & Type of Cars</u>	<u>Cargo</u>
6 February	Toepchin	3 box cars	Ammunition
	Kapen	6 box cars	Ammunition
	Altengrabow	3 box cars	Ammunition
	Strausberg	1 box car	
	Strausberg	1 box car	
	Muenchenbernsdorf	2 box cars	
	Bernau	4 box cars	
	Strausberg	5 box cars	
	Strausberg	3 box cars	
	Velten	4 tank cars	
7 February	Toepchin	29 box cars	Ammunition
8 February	Bautzen	45 flat cars	Automobiles
	Strausberg	2 box cars	
	Velten	3 box cars	
10 February	Bautzen	30 flat cars	Automobiles
12 February	Wildpark	6 box cars	
	Bautzen	2 flat cars	
	Muenchenbernsdorf	2 tank cars	
	Fuerstenberg/H.	2 tank cars	

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Destination</u>	<u>No. & Type of Cars</u>	<u>Cargo</u>
16 February	Fuerstenwalde Jessen Frankfurt/O. Velten Bernau	15 box cars 3 box cars 1 box car 1 tank car 1 box car	
17 February	Muallrose Fuerstenwalde Velten	13 box cars 2 box cars 2 tank cars	Ammunition
19 February	Cottbus Fuerstenwalde Altengrabow ----- -----	10 flat cars 14 box cars 35 box cars 7 box cars 32 cars	Tanks Ammunition
20 February	Velten Frankfurt/O. Strausberg	3 box cars 2 box cars 1 flat car	Technical apparatus Automobiles
21 February	Muallrose Altengrabow	7 box cars 23 box cars	Ammunition
23 February	Strausberg	6 flat cars	Automobiles

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Destination</u>	<u>No. & Type of Cars</u>	<u>Cargo</u>
24 February	Fuerstenwalde Fuerstenwalde Muellrose Kopen Pfaffendorf	1 box car 3 box cars 4 box cars 13 box cars 7 box cars	Ammunition Ammunition
25 February	Altengrabow Muellrose Cottbus	5 box cars 5 box cars 27 flat cars	Ammunition Ammunition Tanks
26 February	Velten	2 tank cars	
28 February	Strausberg	1 box car and 2 flat cars	Automobiles

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2. Eastbound:

<u>Date</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Cargo</u>	<u>Shipping Station</u>
12 February	32 cars	Acetic acid	Merseburg
	17 cars	Paraldehyde	Merseburg
13 February	32 cars	Grain parts	Leipzig
	40 cars	Letter	Aus
	57 cars	Optical equipment ("Telephoto")	Magdeburg
14 February	21 cars	Gasoline	Dresden
	46 cars	Letter	Aus
	37 cars	Machines	Magdeburg
	50 cars	Machines	Magdeburg
15 February	31 cars	New refrigerator cars	Dresden
	47 cars	Acetic acid	Merseburg
	25 cars	Ammunition	Altengrabow
16 February	13 cars	Books	Leipzig
	43 cars	Sodium sulphate	Leinbach
	12 cars	10 refrigerator and 10 "Hitumen" cars	Halle
	51 cars	Machines	Magdeburg

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<u>Date</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Carriage</u>	<u>Shipping Station</u>
17 February	27 cars	Machines	Magdeburg
	14 cars	Paraldehyde	Hersburg
	55 cars	Carbide	Friestewitz
18 February	41 cars	Batter	Aue
	43 cars	Alcohol	Dorau
	57 cars	Lyall	Hersburg
19 February	34 cars	Machines	Magdeburg
	18 cars	Gasoline	Bohlen
	46 cars	Batter	Aue
	53 cars	Carbide	Friestewitz
	23 cars	Gasoline	Bohlen
20 February	49 cars	Yotash	Leinbach
	40 cars	Machines	Magdeburg
21 February	56 cars	Carbide	Friestewitz
	43 cars	Optical equipment ("Televisoren")	Magdeburg
	40 cars	Crane parts	Leipzig
	54 cars	Carbide	Friestewitz
	34 cars	Wood alcohol	Grosskorbetha
22 February	49 cars	Chemicals	Hersburg
	16 cars	Paraldehyde	Hersburg

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<u>Date</u>	<u>No. of Cars</u>	<u>Cargo</u>	<u>Shipping Station</u>
23 February	46 cars	Sodium sulphate	Leimbach
	46 cars	New passenger coaches and refrigerator cars	Halle
	23 cars	Gasoline	Bochlen
24 February	50 cars	Carbide	Priestewitz
25 February	49 cars	Machines	Stassfurt
	43 cars	Optical equipment ("Televisoren")	Magdeburg
26 February	30 cars	Wood alcohol	Grossschorleben
	24 cars	Miscellaneous items	-----
	35 cars	Carbide	Priestewitz
	42 cars	Machines	Noethen
	21 cars	Paraldehyde	Merseburg
27 February	36 cars	Acetic acid	Merseburg
	46 cars	Matter	Aue
	44 cars	Sodium sulphate	Leimbach
28 February	30 cars	Machines	Magdeburg
	23 cars	New passenger coaches and refrigerator cars	Halle
	40 cars	Matter	Aue
	46 cars	Machines	Magdeburg

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